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Sir:

Pursuant to an agreement reached with the Examiner during a telephone interview conducted on April 24, 2003, Applicants are submitting herewith a copy of a Communication from a foreign patent office in a counterpart foreign application and copies of the documents listed in the attached form equivalent to Form PTO-1449 for the Examiner's consideration.

This Information Disclosure Statement is being submitted before the mailing date of either a final action or a notice of allowance and is accompanied by the fee of \$180.00 set forth in 37 CFR §1.17(p) and the following certification specified in 37 CFR §1.97(e).

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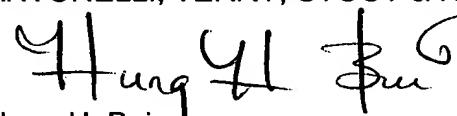
Each of the documents listed on the attached form equivalent to Form PTO-1449 is in the English language or an English language version or translation of the foreign patent office report citing the documents.

None of these references is believed to be material to the patentability of claims 4-14 and 16-22 as pending in this application. However, Applicants respectfully request the Examiner to review and consider these references prior to issuance of the next Office Action.

Please charge any shortage in the fees due in connection with the filing of this paper, including extension of time fees, to Deposit Account No. 01-2135 (Case No. 500.38034CX1) and please credit any excess fees to such deposit account.

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